

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

Schedule 13G
(Rule 13d-102)

**INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT
TO RULES 13d-1(b) (c), AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED
PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(b)
(Amendment No.)***

The Chefs' Warehouse, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.01 par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

163086101

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2011

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- Rule 13d-1(b)
 Rule 13d-1(c)
 Rule 13d-1(d)

* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON (ENTITIES ONLY) John Pappas
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) <input type="checkbox"/> (b) <input type="checkbox"/>
3	SEC USE ONLY
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION United States of America
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5 SOLE VOTING POWER 4,229,215
	6 SHARED VOTING POWER N/A
	7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 4,229,215
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER N/A
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 4,229,215
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES* (a) <input type="checkbox"/>
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 20.3%
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON* IN

Item 1(a). Name of Issuer: The Chefs' Warehouse, Inc.
 Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's
Principal Executive 100 East Ridge Road
Offices: Ridgefield, CT 06877

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing: See Item 1 of page 2
 Item 2(b). Address of Principal c/o The Chefs' Warehouse, Inc.
Business Office or, if none, Residence: 100 East Ridge Road
 Ridgefield, CT 06877

Item 2(c). Organization/Citizenship: See Item 4 of page 2
 Item 2(d). Title of Class Common Stock, \$0.01 par value
Of Securities:

Item 2(e). CUSIP Number: 163086101
 Item 3. Inapplicable.

Item 4. Ownership.

<u>Person</u>	<u>Total Shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned</u>	<u>Percent of Class(1)</u>	<u>Sole Voting Power</u>	<u>Shared Voting Power</u>	<u>Sole Power to Dispose</u>	<u>Shared Power to Dispose</u>
John Pappas	4,229,215	20.3%	4,229,215	—	4,229,215	—

(1) Based on 20,840,590 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of December 30, 2011.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Inapplicable

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Inapplicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company.

Inapplicable

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Inapplicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Inapplicable

Item 10. Certification.

Inapplicable

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 14, 2012

Date

/s/ John Pappas

(Signature)

John Pappas

(Name/Title)